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COMPONENT MOUNTING SEQUENCE OPTIMIZING METHOD, COMPONENT MOUNTING DEVICE, PROGRAM FOR **EXECUTING COMPONENT MOUNTING** SEQUENCE OPTIMIZING METHOD, AND RECORDING MEDIUM IN WHICH THE PROGRAM IS RECORDED

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COMMENTS ON NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Regarding item 3 in the Notice of Allowability, Applicants note that it was indicated that the "Certified copies of the priority documents have been received". In order to make the record clear, Applicants note that item 3 should indicate that "Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a))."

Please enter Applicants' comments into the above-identified application. No response is deemed to be necessary from the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHATGE ANY DEPOSITION IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT **ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975**

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